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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Mahendra Madhukar Patil et al.

Serial No.: 10/812,338

Filed: March 29, 2004

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
MANAGING AIR FROM A  
COOKTOP

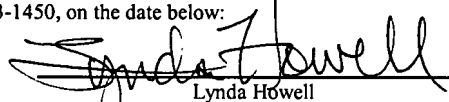
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Examiner: Elizabeth Sarah Suereth

Atty. Docket: 140320-1/YOD  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31 FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Appellants hereby request a one (1) month extension in the statutory period for response to the Advisory Action from June 16, 2007 to July 16, 2007 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$120.00, and any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 07-0868; Order No. 140320-1/YOD (GERD:0106).

Appellants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the final decision mailed March 16, 2007 and Advisory Action mailed June 12, 2007 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-43 of the above-referenced application.

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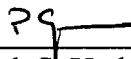
The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite filing fee of \$500.00 (Notice of Appeal), and any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 07-0868; Order No. 140320-1/YOD (GERD:0106).

**General Authorization for Extensions of Time**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, the undersigned hereby provides a general authorization to treat this and any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Furthermore, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the appropriate fee for any extension of time to Deposit Account No. 07-0868; Order No. 140320-1/YOD (GERD:0106).

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 2/11/2007

  
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